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Dear Ed:

After a shameful delay, we are getting around to a repitition of Jacobian experiments on the timed interruptions of mating. We are particularly interested in the sorts of things that Hayes and Fisher reported as facilitating or interrupting (reversibly and not) the various steps.

We run the risk of wasting a lot of time going over what you may have clarified during your work in Paris last year. I know you were rather critical of Hayes in some respects.

Do you have any sort of summary of your findings that might help us? We would be most grateful.

All best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

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